

Feeling a Cuticura advertisement, I bought a box of the Cuticura Remedies, and tried it if it would be successful. They stopped the itching almost at once, but I only used one box of the Cuticura Ointment and one box of the Cuticura Resolvent Pills, and they took every mark off me, leaving my skin clear and bright, and stopped the hot irritation. I think that Cuticura Remedies ought to be known well, as they would save many and heavy doctors' bills if used in time.

THE ENGLISH ELEVEN.

THE FIRST TEST.

TEAMS SUGGESTED.

ESPECIALLY WRITTEN BY MAJOR PHILIP TREVOR FOR THE HERALD.

It may much of indifference, if not of impatience, on my part to offer any remarks (after so short a sojourn in Australia as mine has been) on the subject of the eleven to represent Australia against England on Friday next. For my temerity, I plead a two-fold excuse. I use for what it is worth the advice which insists that the looker-on sees most of the game, and I claim to have had the opportunity of studying at least the most recent, if not the best, evidence on the subject.

A few men are, I suppose, certain, and I imagine that the useful but "the man in the street" may without hesitation write down the names of Noble, Trumper, Hill, Armstrong, and Cotter. For the other six places, several names occur notably, those of Tarrant, Darling, Duff, Hopkins, Ransford, Gehr, Carter, Macartney, Wright, Johnson, Hallitt, M'Alister, and Parker.

Nearly on merit as a cricketer, I presume that Tarrant would easily earn his place, and as regards his legal eligibility to play, I will only say this, namely, that both in England and in Australia a considerable number of thoughtful persons will hold that a man can not regularly and alternately be half the year an English cricketer and half the year an Australian cricketer; and that, which he is, he is not both. Further, I think I prefer not to discuss what may easily end in a controversy concerning which people may perhaps take sides with an unnecessary amount of heat.

Darling is apparently not in his best form at present, but he is a great test match player, and presumably he would not accept an invitation to play unless he felt capable of doing himself justice. I have seen him in action in this sort of match, and he is well left to the discretion of a great player. Stanley Jackson has more than once declined the honour of playing in a match of importance, because he did not feel at the time that he was good enough to play. And there are other precedents.

Again, the Englishman living in England would scarcely contemplate the possibility of leaving Duff out of an Australian side, if he were fit and well. In our country we have the liveliest recollections of his power and leadership, and he and Trumper have often at the outset of a match made the best English bowling look ridiculously easy. Perhaps we should appreciate yet the practical value of the first 50 or 60 runs being made with apparent ease. The selfish home-keeping Englishman would certainly like to see Duff left out of the side chosen to oppose England.

Ransford ought, in our opinion, to be in the eleven, and, once in it, he is, I fancy, likely (given good luck) to remain in it. Left-handed batsmen, with Ransford's nice knack of combining attack and defence, are few and far between.

Hopkins, one imagines, should be selected for his treble capacity as a cricketer, for the team, even though it would include three all-round cricketers in him, Noble, and Armstrong.

We Englishmen, too, even those of us who have only seen him play once, would plump for M'Alister. He is essentially a first-class batsman, and he forces that conviction upon the spectator at once. Coming to the question of the wicket-keeper, without hesitation I choose the only safe rule is to choose the best. When there is a real difference of opinion as to which of two men is the better wicket-keeper, the preference, of course, should be given to the better batsman; but to deliberately overlook the better wicket-keeper in a desire to add to the run-getting power of a side is to court disaster.

Carter is, as far as we can judge, the best wicket-keeper now available in Australia, and, if that is so, it would seem that he ought to play for Australia.

One place in the eleven, then, is left; and that place I would give to either Wright or Johnson. Again, again, I am sorry to find myself in expressing a candid opinion, I am giving it to Wright if I decided that I wanted a man to bear the brunt of an attack, and I would give it to Johnson if I thought that I could afford to pick my bowler simply on the basis of wicket-taking. Both men have given me very favourable impressions with us, though it struck most of us that Johnson's bowling had the advantage of slightly more variety than that of Wright.

If, then, Darling should not feel that it was in his best form, and if it were decided that it was inadvisable to select Tarrant, my eleven to play for Australia would be:

Noble Trumper Hill Cotter Johnson.

That side, I admit, contains only five bowlers, and is without a left-hand bowler, at a time when both Saunders and Macartney are available for selection. However, so far as big matches in Australia this season have furnished us with evidence, the right-hand bowler has not proved deadly upon good wickets. Still, if the feeling of the selectors was that, say, Duff was out of luck as a batsman, we should not be surprised to read the name of Macartney among the elect.

THE ENGLISH ELEVEN.

As to the English eleven, I personally am prepared to give our captain a blank cheque. I have an unshaken belief in the merits of the sole captain, and I have no doubt that he will give me his supreme power. Three of our men must stand out, and Jones will make his final choice, weighing every consideration with and without impartiality. It is my opinion there is no better method than that of selecting the best side.

Of our chances of defeat or victory it is difficult to say anything of value, the hearing of cricketers, and prophecy is of about as much account as the schoolboy's guess. The situation itself, however, is simple enough. Our batting, without being always at its best, has been good, and our bowling has been good, though not yet as good as I have reason to believe it will be. Our bowling has met with such evidence of fortune, but I set some little store on a certain possibility. Neither of our left-handed bowlers has yet asserted himself against the best Australian batsman during the game, and I am optimistic enough to think that, perhaps, the success of one or other of them is only delayed.

The good fortune of the experienced in the match against New South Wales has not led to any over-confidence on the part of our men, encouraging as it was to them, and all every one of them still takes the same line in bats and bowlers. To understand the getting powers of Trumper, Hill, Noble, and Jones, is just the one mistake they are not likely to commit.

I honestly think that we have a fair and reasonable chance of winning the first test match, but that is all.

I have never yet had a bet on a cricket match, but even if I were betting, I would not be swayed by the evidence of form now available, lay even a shade of odds on either side.

The whole charm of a game of cricket lies in its uncertainty, and in our opinion we reduce that uncertainty, we reduce our enjoyment.

Nerve will probably affect the result more than skill, and the Australian eleven will have this advantage, that it will contain more men than our eleven will contain who are not new to a test match played in Australia. As that is so, I am, as a partisan Englishman, glad to see some of our younger players have borne themselves like veterans when an effort has been required of them. If, then, a doctor were to feel my pulse and he would, I hope, find me to be "quietly hopeful."

THE QUEENSLAND MATCH.

I pass from the general to the particular, as it were, and I venture to make a few brief remarks on the subject of our match against Queensland. I must frankly own that it was a disappointment. The eleven we defeated were, presumably, disappointed; the crowd were certainly disappointed; and we ourselves, although we won the match rather easily, were also disappointed. It was rather a dull game. Queensland failed badly at their first attempt, and would have failed badly at their second attempt, but for some distinctly strong batting by their best player, Hartigan, and some distinctly weak catching on the part of our men. Yet, when those exhibitions of strength and weakness respectively were given, the result was already a foregone conclusion.

The interest in the match never quickened. Before it began, I became aware of what I may call a disheartening sense. The crowd, feeling somewhat bored, seemed to be pressed colloquially, "It's no good Queensland playing these fellows." Before the game was an hour old that feeling gained strength, and it remained to the end. Then, again, the crowd was disappointed with our early batting, as perhaps they had some right to be, although both Hutchings and Young gave good value for their money. So disappointed were they, that the crowd, John and Rhodes really did provide them with an exhibition of good batting they declined (or ignored) to recognise the fact. So the game dimmed, and ended rather sadly.

For all that, it had its points of interest, and, as in Western Australia, so in Queensland, we recognised the cricketer in the ordinary.

However, for the construction of the ordinary first-class cricketer two things are necessary—encouragement and experience. Defeats do not bring encouragement, and very occasionally, as in the case of the Queensland team, they bring a sense of despair. Again, as noted above, the interest in the match never quickened.

After all, it is more the special duty of the bowler than of the captain to give the crowd the same remark also applies. In one particular, however, I hope that the Queensland team will never become first-class players. The incoming batsman invariably took his place at the wicket with commendable promptitude, and perhaps when they know more of famous cricket customs they will win more. Still I was glad to see them give their better a lesson in this respect, and I do not know whether the two-minute rule is violated the more in England or in Australia.

There are many offenders in both lands. The bright spots were caused by the bowling of MacLaren and the batting of Hartigan. Hartigan is, of course, a fine strong batsman, and although Blythe bowled him out at once in his first innings, in his second innings he played all our bowling with ease and confidence, and hit it hard, too.

MacLaren is certainly a promising fast bowler, and he is quite young. I hope that wise counsellors will not succeed in making him overdo the "off theory." Well as he bowled in this game he certainly overdid it, and by adopting those tactics he tired himself out for nothing. He is certainly capable of bowling a ball that wants a good deal of stopping, and as that is so he can well afford to aim a little more often at the stumps. There was practically nothing else in the game worth particular comment, and taken as a whole, one cannot say that the cricket seen was first-class.

SCIENCE NOTES.

SOME ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS.

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Mr. O. A. Peal has made a thick volume descriptive of the zoological gardens of Europe. He possesses a camera, and judging from his illustrations the animal he met most frequently was the kangaroo. In many cases, however, his "boots" were looked upon with suspicion by the authorities, and he was asked to deposit it with a keeper until he went away. Some of the collections are very extensive, and the smaller gardens rely on popular features, such as restaurants and concerts. As they are usually pleasant and picturesque places they become often the chief resort of the towns to which they belong. Much is also made of the buildings, which, as a director in 1922. There have been some curious episodes in its history. During the siege of Paris of 1870 it sold lion, bear, and hippopotamus flesh at 25 francs the pound; while two tender elephants were bought by butchers for 77,000 francs from the Jardin d'Acclimatation. Among the other earliest gardens are those at London and Amsterdam. Zoological collections, however, only came to be regarded as institutions which no self-respecting city could be without during the second half of the nineteenth century, and most of those described by Mr. Peal arose from very modest beginnings between 1850-1860. One of the finest is that at Antwerp, which, like many of the Continental gardens, does large trade in animals, buying and selling, for instance, as many as 100,000 pairs of birds in a year. Some, indeed, even breed ducks and geese for sale.

The type of garden which goes in for popular attractions is illustrated by Elberfeld, where there is a restaurant which will hold 20,000 people. The Berlin gardens, which in 1914 had more than a hundred animals, are now among the best in Europe. They have 25,000 animals, representing 12,000 species. The Sunday attendance is over 60,000, and the entrance money runs up to £10,000 a year. Mr. Peal had an interesting interview with King George, the animal king. His father brought the first Polar bear to Europe in 1844, and exhibited it at fourpence a head. Now the firm are the most important animal show in the world, with collectors everywhere. In one day there walked into the "shop" five Ceylon elephants, two Sambar deer, 21 monkeys, 10 flamingoes, three hippopotamuses, 23 baboons, and three hyenas. Most are sold at a reasonable price, but a good hippopotamus costs £500, and the "only one" performing walrus are priced at £1400.

THE PINNIPED GLAND.

In the current "Science Progress," Dr. Dendy, now of King's College, London, but formerly of Australia, has an article on the Pinniped gland, which has been regarded as a relic of an impaired median eye in invertebrates.

Dr. Dendy, as has been mentioned in these notes, thinks was originally a paired organ, of whose members the pinniped gland is inclined to discount the significance of the invertebrate arrangement of the retinal rods. However, that may be, the structure is as undoubted relic of a very primitive eye in the retina of the pinniped, and it is interesting as an outgrowth of the root, and it appears in all our cranial vertebrate ancestors down to the fish. Its nature as a rudimentary sense organ is most marked in the case of reptiles. Here it was noticed, in its rudimentary state, in 1871, and in 1884 the place for a similar structure was found (as unpaired foramen) in extinct reptiles.

Observations were extended, in these reptiles, to the pinniped gland, and the results were that Australia had a living descendant of these, the tarsus of New Zealand, which still preserves the pinniped gland as a rudimentary sense organ, connected by a nerve with the brain, though it is covered by a mass of pigment cells. To Professor Baldwin Spencer, in the honour of establishing these facts in 1888. In Australia, there is little left to suggest the existence of the gland, and it is still less to indicate its present function, if it has any. Each rudimentary structure tends to become smaller and smaller and finally to disappear; but occasionally they are turned into organs of sense, as has happened with the "duddies glands" of the throat, and are thus saved from extinction. Dendy's theory, however, because all our sense organs were double, but our thoughts single.

RUDIMENTARY STRUCTURES.

The presence of such rudimentary structures as the pinniped gland is sufficient to establish the fact of evolution; for they can be explained in no other way than as the products of a long process of adaptation and adjustment, and there is no animal of much of the present day which does not possess them. Our own bodies are a museum of such antiquities. The rudimentary hair on our body is the relic of our hairy coat. Rudimentary mammary glands occur normally in the adult male, with occasional reversals to a higher number than two. The rudimentary tail-bone occurs in extant birds (birds originally had long reptilian tails, in man, and in the tailless bird, the tail-bone has been reduced to a rudimentary state. The time of the tail-bone in man is a relic of the tail-bone in the ancestor of the human race. The tail-bone in the human race is a relic of the tail-bone in the ancestor of the human race. The tail-bone in the human race is a relic of the tail-bone in the ancestor of the human race.

REPTILES.

There are over thirty species of these plants, which are increasing in number. They are half shrubby climbing plants native to the better parts of the Asiatic Archipelago, and are also found in the islands of the Malay Archipelago, in England, and even in Australia, many varieties of this kind being found in the tropics. They are well known to the natives of the Indian Archipelago, and other extremely tropical regions, being used for medicinal purposes. The plants are marked by a peculiarly attractive character, and their labours have been rewarded by the production of a large number of varieties possessing great merit. Many of the new hybrids are highly coloured, and in many respects resemble the original forms. It is well to mention that pitcher plants of America, Europe, and Asia, and the plants of the islands of the Indian Archipelago, and other extremely tropical regions, being used for medicinal purposes. 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the impossibility of using the University site without Parliamentary sanction.

Carriage Cleaners' Complaint.—A correspondent writes that the men employed in the carriage-cleaning branch of the railway service are required to work unnecessarily long hours, and that the irregularity of the employment is a source of dissatisfaction. He alleges that if a man makes a complaint, he is told there are plenty others to fill his place, and the next thing he knows is he is put off. Other men, however, are told that they must wait a long day. He adds that the "petty bosses" of the department exercise undue power. The railway authorities will not admit that any unreasonable complaint has been made, but they say that if a man has a grievance he may appeal to the Chief Commissioner if necessary. As a matter of fact no complaints have been forwarded.

Enthusiastic Paradise Fish.—The popularity of fish culture work in home aquaria has grown substantially of late, and it is of interest to record that Mr. R. E. Eastway has been successful in breeding a new variety, producing a successful hatch of between 400 and 600 fry of the paradise fish. The parent fish were kept in a jar, in which the water greened with algae, and the young were reared in a tank of fresh water. The young were grown, and after the eggs had been shed and floated on the surface the female was removed. The invariable practice of the female paradise fish is for it to devour its eggs, and the male is obliged to guard his partner from them, a duty he scrupulously performs without any perceptible rest. When the young hatch out the female again shows considerable interest in the young, and the male has to fend the fry all gathered into a shoal by the male in the corner of the aquarium, while the female is kept at a respectable distance. The colour of the male is a bright red, and in this period, Mr. Eastway is now noting whether the male's benevolent object in keeping his wife away from the young is to benefit the young.

The future of the species.

Turpin's Logs and the Terebo.—It is often asserted that the only logs which will resist the ravages of the terebo or coborer are made from the turpentine tree. The assertion must, however, be qualified, for at the Royal Society's meeting this week two sections of a turpentine log from Leycester Creek near Glenore, were produced, showing that the terebo had riddled the logs like a colander. The piles had only been in position for about five years, and the rot was practically done.

Terebo navals seem capable of living in brackish as well as marine water, for in places where those pests have driven away the fish they are infected by the tide to the extent of about two feet.

A Ketch in Distress.—A telegram was received by the Navigation Department yesterday morning from the captain of a ketch named like the Zelmia was flying signals of distress that she had sprung a leak. A tug was ordered to proceed from Nabucco to her assistance.

The proprietors of Walker's amphi are offering £12 to the amateur of cricket who scores 80 runs in the first innings of his county in the season. Extra if he can be retained. Every player catching more than one wicket in the first innings gets £10 to the man who obtains the first five wickets in either innings.

In connection with the Interstate cricket match to be a special service of trains will be run from Clifton to Sydney during the week ending August 16, at 9.30 a.m.

On Monday January fare will commence on Friday, and be limited until December 31, from Sydney and New South Wales to Melbourne, Adelaide, Perth, Fremantle, Hobart, and Broken Hill, and other principal intermediate towns. The fares are allowable by the mail train between Melbourne and Sydney, and are payable in 12 second class returns; and to Brisbane, 40 s.s. and return.

The repletion competition, under the auspices of the Agricultural Society, will be held on Friday, September 17, at 10 o'clock.

The extraordinary result was that the Militarists were divided, and voted on opposite side of the house. The Prime Minister's speech in favour of Customs was compellingly supported by the Opposition, while the Treasurer, P.M.G., and Attorney-General rose against their colleagues.

Upon reassembling this afternoon, the Commonwealth Government resumed, and so completed the division of work, wicker, as being, no alterations of any great importance being made. The division of jewellery and fancy goods was also completed, and finished at shortly after 10 to-night.

THE LONDON REPRESENTATIVE

SUBSEQUENT PRIDY

The representative of the Commonwealth in London (Captain Collins) made a speech answer to a toast at a Liberal Colonial Club gathering in London recently. Mr. Crooke, M.P., in reply, said that the remarks, and in the House of Representatives to-day he asked the Prime Minister (Mr. Deakin) what was really the position of the Commonwealth in regard to the tariff. Captain Collins was in London for purely specific purposes, such as the purchase of raw materials, and other matters that might arise. He did not think anyone could expect to what he had said at the banquet because he had repeated the words which (Mr. Deakin) or some one else had used on behalf of the Government.

TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILWAY.

In answer to a question by Mr. Glynn, the Prime Minister said in the House of Representatives to-day that he had observed with great satisfaction the resolution of the Senate to support the Transcontinental Railway bill.

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to Dr. W. W. White, the eminent theologian, during his course of Bible studies given in London. Members of the Sydney Y.W.C.A., at present in London have interviewed Miss Meager, and send favourable reports. It is expected that she will leave London in January.

Mrs. Stella will leave Melbourne for Sydney to-morrow, it is expected to arrive here to-morrow. The famous Australian singer, who will bring with her Mr. Andrew Black, Miss Urs Bourne, Mr. Bryce Carter, Mr. John Cullen, Mr. George Farnham, and other company, will make her first public appearance at the Town Hall concert on Tuesday evening.

A contribution to Mr. Douglas Dawson, a distinguished graduate of Sydney University, Lieutenant Shackleton announced last night that he had decided to take him to the Antarctic another distinguished graduate of the University, Frank Cotton, of Hornsey, son of Mr. Frank Cotton, ex-M.I.A.

Mr. Ashton, M.L.C., has accepted a seat on the New South Wales Board of the Australasian Fur Seal Company, Sydney, Limited, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Mr. James Watson, M.L.C.

The Rev. Charles McLelland Barker, Methodist minister at Young, died at the Burrumbidgee Hospital, on Friday, December 8, after five days' illness. Deceased was 37 years of age, and leaves a widow and two young children. The body was taken to Sydney early evening for interment at Waverley Cemetery.

On Thursday evening Mr. O. U. Vonwiler, of the University of Sydney, was tendered a private dinner. His health was protracted by French Polio, and supported by Mr. J. P. Tivory. Mr. Vonwiler was presented with complete sets of the works of Thackeray, Dickens, and Scott.

TO-DAY.

Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron: Curlew, Capt. L.B. Sydney Sailing Club: Mist champagne, 10.0; Hesperus, 1.0; Hesperus, 7.6.
Theatre Royal: "John Gayday's Honor," 8.
Tivoli Theatre: Vandellie, 1.0 and 7.6.
Cinema Palace: The Prince of Wales, 7.6.
National Amphitheatre: Vandellie, 2.00 and 7.6.
Oxford Theatre: Picturesque Com., 3 and 6.
Hippodrome: The Prince of Wales, 7.6.
Haymarket Hippodrome: 2.00 and 8.
Zoological Gardens: 20.
Fitzroy, 2.00 and 8.
Queen's Hall: London Rio-Tabasco, 2.00 and 8.
Wonderland City, Bondi: 10.
Raffles Hotel: 2.00 and 8.
Buttery Theatre, Congo: 2.00.
Globe Beach Theatre, Mosley: 8.
Royal Albert Hall: The Prince of Wales and Night.
International Film Picture, 8.

ANXIETY OF THE PREMIER.

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WILL MAKE FURTHER EFFORT.

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"I only hope that, even at this late hour, some means will present themselves for averting what looks like a catastrophe to the men and the industry. The Government has given the question the fullest consideration, and is prepared still to make further efforts to avert the crisis."—The Premier, addressing the Legislative Assembly on the situation.

As foreshadowed in the "Herald" yesterday the board of directors of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney met, and resolved not to accept the draft agreement in regard to Messrs. Sandford, Ltd., as amended by the bill of exchange.

The bank's decision was communicated to the Premier and Mr. Sandford, and the latter two are now really sparring for wind.

The bank has expressed its determination not to allow the State to come in as a mortgagee. The security the bank has comprising, as it does, a valuable claim on 50,000 acres of land, and other important assets.

assets, apart from the ironworks, is practically realisable at will. This advantage is why a business institution intends

bank, as a business institution, hold, and the only possible negotiations on the basis of a £25,000 priority, for 10 years as already offered to the Government, accepted by it, and rejected by Parliament.

The Premier feels some anxiety in

matter, as State interests are affected.
iron industry at Lithgow is relied upon

The Premier is holding out in the hope the bank will relent, but its attitude has been taken up by the interests of self-preservation and the present hope of a settlement is under reconsideration by Parliament of the agreement recommended.

Mr. Wade had a hard fight with the bank to get priority over £25,000 worth of securities. The result of the negotiations surprised the Premier, and the bank felt astounded at its own moderation. Having recovered from

shock of that concession, the bank is disinclined to take further risks, and unless an extraordinary factor enters into the nego-

tion, foreclosure will not be averted. There are many horns to the Premier's dilemma, and only prompt action can relieve a complicated situation.

BANK'S OFFICIAL REJECTION

Mr. Sandford was officially informed yesterday that the Commercial Bank would not agree to the Government's amended proposition. He expressed the opinion that the difference between the Government and the bank was really very trifling financially, and that the matter lay entirely between them.

REFERENCES IN PARLIAMENT

STATEMENT BY THE PREMIER.

Mr. MEACHER asked the Premier whether in view of the apparently pathetic statement that had been published to the effect that the bank had refused to permit the Government to be first mortgagee in connection with the Sandford advance, and that works were much threatened to be closed down, about 1500 men thrown out of employment, any investigation into the fact that the S had a contract with Sandford, Ltd., was £100,000 per annum (all this, apart from national aspect of the question), the Government would take steps, so that the State might secure the necessary money and order been going, or would allow the House to express a definite opinion.

The PRKMIKH, in reply, said that he

received a letter from the House, in which it refused to allow any bill the terms of which would be "in the name of the House. He was sure that, far as the Government was concerned, it did none all that it possibly could to give industry an opportunity of having a show in the markets of the world. The Government had to do with the business of the world, under which the Government was to receive priority to the extent of £25,000, and on those grounds the Government recommended proposals to the House for adoption. The House, however, seen fit to require prior notice of the withdrawal of the bill. What view he would now take of the matter he could say. Apparently, it had two courses open. It could close down the works, and this would mean a very heavy loss indeed. The pro-

would not realize much more than the price of scrap iron, and the bank had no guarantee that anyone would come forward and buy the bonds.

up the works, and the contractor concerned. On the other hand, it might be considered that while it might be a chance of its losing proportion of its advance if it accepted the terms offered by the House, it agreed to forego its claim to repayment in 10 years; yet, if it accepted the terms offered, it would be dealing with other contracting party sympathetic towards the industry, and which would use no measures nor harass the bank in any way. So it might occur to the bank that in circumstances it would be satisfactory that the claim would be satisfied in 10 months in the end, it would be giving the industry a chance to become established, to the Government taking over the view personally, and that of all members.

of the Cabinet, was that the Government would certainly not take over the works a going concern.

Mr. MEAGHER: In the event of the bill declining to come to terms, will the Premier allow the House to express its opinion on the subject?

The PREMIER: Suffice for the day is well there.

On the motion for adjournment, Mr. DODLEY said he had heard, upon being regarded as reliable authority, that the Commercial Banking Company had decided to close down on the Ekkaibank Iron works, intimating that the matter was one of vital interest to the State, the House should have an opportunity to do something to prevent the works being closed down. He said that he was a stage when the Government should be in a position whereby it might be possible to re-open the industry. If the company was re-constructed it would not be on as sound a basis

as at present. The closing down of the works would mean that 700 or 1000 men at Lithgow would be thrown out of work at once.

probably a large number of others in Government service would be affected.

THE MINISTER FOR WORKS: Seven hundred men would be turned out in the state to-morrow.

MR. DOOLEY believed the bank might be the garnisher for a time, until a purchaser was found, but at least 700 men would be out of work at once. Could not the Government do something to save the industry in New South Wales?

MR. HOLLIS said as the question was a national one, the Government should refer the House a free hand.

THE PREMIER: I did give the House a hand.

MR. HOLLIS appealed to the Premier to give some method to save the situation.

Mr. BREBY suggested that the House should be afforded an opportunity of discussing

proposal under which the Government was to take over the bank's mortgage. If the loan was not saved, the Government was to take the industry might go to one of the five States.

Mr. STUART-ROBERTSON suggested an arrangement whereby the State should take control of the works until such time as a contract for the supply of material to the Government had been completed. Or was the Government to advance the money to the sum of £25,000, with priority in regard to the securities, and to expand the balance of £45,000 in the erection of a steel-rolling mill which the Sandford Company could allow to use at a rental of 4 per cent. the capital cost?

The PREMIER said he had received official information from the Government.

An Hon. Member: It is all over the town.
The PREMIER said he had not been

but he assumed that the news was undoubtedly true. Personally, and speaking on behalf of the Government, he extremely regretted that any action of this kind might possibly lead to a temporary stoppage of the opportunity to develop this national industry. It might lead to a number of men being thrown out on the world without prospect of work. Whilst they all had sympathy for the industry, with Mr. Sandford, with the workers, and with the Government, he showed his sympathy by trying to arrange assistance. Now Mr. Dooley wanted to know if the Government would do something try to save the industry from ruin. We had the Government been doing during past month? It had been trying to be

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WALTER RUSH and CO.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUATORS,

INT.—New det. Brick House, fine pos-
sions, kit., etc., really a bargain, \$750.
CHAS. H. HARRIS and SONS, 100 MONMOUTH ST.

pair of brick on stone COTTAGES, one
rooms, kit., laun., and all conv., and one
a kit., laundry, etc., both in tip-top
BY FIRST-CLASS HOMER, with extensive FRONTAGE
to waters of DOUBLE BAY.
Comprising Double Drawing-room, Dining-room, Billiard

FOR FULL PARTICULARS apply

WOOLLAHRA. EASTERN SIDE OF OCEAN-STREET.
Comfortable RESIDENCE of 3 rooms, kitchen, and

WATER FRONTAGE.
OATLEY BAY, CONNELL'S POINT.
100 x 250, deep water, no reservation.

PADDINGTON, WINDSOR STREET.
First-class BRICK RESIDENCE, slate roof, hall,

PERCY G. SHARPE,
Tel., 3077. Lombard-chrs., 107 Pitt-street.
NEWTOWN, a minute to Newtown Post-office.

also Building Lots at	Granville, Guild-	int. p.a. on £1100 borrowed at 4½ p.c.	£40 10 0
for 6s. 6d. per foot.	For further par-		
J. STIMMON and SONS,	45 Glebe-rd. Tel.,	Gross return of	£101 9 0
		Net amount of £100	

SYDNEY EAGAR, 3 Wilson-st., near Flattie's, Newtown.

Asphalt paths. A Bargain. \$2000.
BECKY and BRICKLEY, 22 Pitt-street.
 A corner of two main streets, near

ILLAWARRA LINK.—A nice Building Site, good soil, 80 x 185, 225 option of next Block, 90a deposit, 90a new month. Also, same Block 800 x 170, cheap to

RENT, near TRAM and PERRY.
ONLY \$275; TERMS.

A—For Sale, 10 mls. from station, 1
£120. Apply M. M'Adams.

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AUCTION SALES.

285 AND 287 PITT-STREET,
NEAR PARK-STREET.

TUESDAY NEXT, DECEMBER 10th,
AT 11 O'CLOCK.

IMPORTANT SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION
OF
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
AND GENERAL APPURTENANCES.

REMOVED FROM
BOULEVARD, MOORE PARK,
ALBERT-STREET, NORTH SYDNEY,
BY THE ABOVE AUCTIONEER.

FROM AND UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FOR A
HOLDER OF A BILL OF SALE.

FOUR HIGH-CLASS PIANOS,
BY LEADING MAKERS.

FINEST HAND-PAINTED ORNAMENTS
OF
CHINA, JAPAN, AND OLD ENGLISH
LAC.

ANGELUS PIANO-PLAYER,
THIRTY-SIX BOLLS OF MUSIC.

DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE AND APPURTENANCES,
SUITABLE, CARPETS, ETC.

SOLID OAK EXECUTIVE BOOKCASE,
41 ALL-CEDAR BOOKCASE.

BOOKCASES, IN WALNUT AND OAK,
SHELVES, 40, 25, AND 18.

TELEPHONE DINING TABLE,
6, 10, AND 12 SEAT.

SEVERAL DINING-ROOM SUITES,
BOW-WOOD AND WALNUT ORNAMENTS.

ADAMITE AND BRONZE CARPETS,
GLASS, CHINA, AND ELECTROPLATE.

DROPPED ROBERTS SEWING MACHINE,
the very latest, nearly new.

SOLID BRASS FENDER AND IRON
OIL PAINTINGS AND ENGRAVINGS.

DOUBLE BED ROOM SUITE,
comprising 21 Drawers, 21 Dressing Table, and Wash
stand, Cupboard, Towel.

21 WALNUT-FINISHED BED ROOM SUITE,
very best make and latest design.

SEVERAL CHIFFONIERE AND BED ROOM SUITES,
41 POLISHED PINK BED ROOM SUITE.

WARDROBES, TOILET TABLES,
CHAIR, and 21 DRAWERS.

OTHER TWENTY DOUBLE, SINGLE, AND THREE-
QUARTER BED ROOM SUITES, AND BEDDING.

VERY FINE HAND-PAINTED ORNAMENTS,
BALL AND LIBRARY FURNITURE.

CHIFFONIERE, CUTLERY, KILL-TWO DRESS,
FILING CABINET AND OFFICE CHAIR.

FLUORESCENT GAS STOVE, ICE CHEST,
KITCHEN FURNITURE AND UTENSILS.

LAWN MOWER AND GARDEN TOOLS,
Etc., Etc.

EVERY LINE TO BE SOLD
AT WITHOUT RESERVE WHATEVER
TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER.

STANDS FURNISHING, LIMITED,
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ON VIEW MONDAY NEXT, DECEMBER 9th,
all day, and TUESDAY MORNING prior to sale.

TELEPHONE, 291.

MILTON'S POINT.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,
ON MONDAY NEXT, 9th DEC., AT 11 A.M.,
at the Residence of Mrs. Cogan.

ALMOST 20 CAMERAS, PHOTOGRAPHY POINT,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

Glass, China, Electroplate, Austrian Crystal,
SILVER, BRASS, AND IRON.

SWISS-TOINED PIANOFORTE, IN GOOD ORDER.

FURNISHINGS OF FOUR BED ROOMS,
BEDDING, DINING TABLE, WALNUT CHAIRS.

STANDARD PIANOFORTE, 1000, 1000,
SILVER, BRASS, AND IRON.

MISSERS. H. AND A. LAWSON
(HARRY LAWSON, AUCTIONEER),
12 POST OFFICE-CHAMBERS,
OFF. G.P.O. PITT-STREET, TEL. 107.

THURSDAY, 12th DECEMBER,
at 11 o'clock.

AT 10, YORK-ROAD, YORK HOUSE.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,
TUESDAY NEXT, 10th DEC., AT 11 A.M.,
at the Residence of Mrs. Rogers.

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DARLINGHURST.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

TUESDAY NEXT, DECEMBER 10th,
AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.

Under instructions from
MRS. H. C. GLEESON.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF HER EARLY DEPARTURE
FOR EUROPE.

THE MODERN ENGLISH FURNITURE
AND EFFECTS.

COSTLY APPURTENANCES
contained in her household.

JULIETTE,
41 BATHURST-ROAD,
DARLINGHURST.

LIMOGES CHINA DINNER SERVICE, very beautifully
painted by hand, 120 pieces.

BRILLIANT CHINA BREAKFAST AND TEA SERVICE,
richly decorated, 75 pieces.

CHINA DINNER SERVICE, hand-painted,
in various hues and flowers, 35 pieces.

TANTALUM SERVICE AND WINE STANDS, in Electro-
plate, CUT GLASS, including a large assortment
of all Table Requisites.

VERY FINE OLD INDIAN PORCELAIN FURNI-
TURE, on lacquered stand.

RANDOME GILT-FRAMED OVERMANTLE, with
shell shelves and carved pediments.

WALNUT DINING-ROOM FURNITURE,
BEST ENGLISH MANUFACTURE.

MARBLE SOLID WALNUT DINING-ROOM SUITE (best
English manufacture), enclosed lower portion with
three drawers, the back fitted with bevelled
glass mirror, very highly finished and relieved
with ornate carving.

WALNUT THREE-TIER DINING WAGON, with
carved back.

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holstered in Morocco leather, consisting of couch,
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JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE.

HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS FROM MRS.
L. HANLEY TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION AT
HER RESIDENCE, 119, ST. JOHN'S-ROAD, PORTLAND,
ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, 12th DECEMBER, AT 11 O'CLOCK
(the time of relinquishing household goods).

THE WHOLE OF THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
AND EFFECTS, including Glass, China, and Elec-
troplate, Dining and Bed Room Furniture,
the furnishings of several Bed Rooms,
VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
Paint Mangle, Kitchen Utensils, etc., etc.

ON VIEW WEDNESDAY MORNING PRIOR TO
SALE.

NO RESERVE. TERMS CASH.

ASIDE.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

STRATHGIRN, AUSTRIAN, ASSURED.

ON THURSDAY NEXT.

12th DECEMBER, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,
under instructions from Mrs. J. R. ROBINSON,
in consequence of her early departure for England.

THE WHOLE OF THE SUPERIOR
FURNITURE AND APPURTENANCES.

OAK DINING-ROOM FURNITURE,
SIX-SEAT TELESCOPE TABLE.

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A NEW SUBDIVISION.
MOUNT PRETORIA ESTATE, HORNSBY
(CHURCH, BURDETT-SMITH ESTATE).

4-ACRE AND LARGER BLOCKS. MOUNTAIN CEMENT.

SALE OF THE GROUP.

THIS AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 7.

AT 2.30 O'CLOCK.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, Auctioneers, 125 Pitt-street;
AND
J. G. EDWARDS AND CO., Sydney and Hornsby.

A GILT-EDGED INVESTMENT.
STRENGTHENING TRADING PROPERTY.
WALKER-STREET.
WALKER-STREET, NEAR THE CITY SYDNEY.

6 SPLENDID RESIDENCES.
 WALKER-STREET, NOS. 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, and 32, are 6 splendid residences, substantially built of brick, and finished with the best materials. Each contains

4 ROOMS, BATHROOM, KITCHEN, LUNDEY, and
 Gardens in front, good yard at rear; with

ALL LET TO AN EXCELLENT TRADING
 of good standing, and producing a total Rental of

£250 PER ANNUM.

THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE CO., LTD.,
 Trustees in the Currier Settlement.

PORTIONS OF THE
PASSY ESTATE, HUNTERS HILL,
 comprising 100 ACRES of land, with "WATFALL"
 THE CHALLET, and 6000 BUILDING
 BLOCKS.

A RESIDENCE. "WATFALL" (Owing to
 being situated in a beautiful position, and
 made roof, 10 rooms, 2 drawing rooms, bath-
 room, 2 bedrooms, a dressing room, kitchen,
 bathroom, 2 closets, and a billiard room.

LAND NOW
100 ACRES OF PINE TREES **AS FERTILE SOIL**
 and 6000 BUILDING BLOCKS on one side, and
 6000 BUILDING BLOCKS on the other side.

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HARDER and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 138 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on **WEDNESDAY, 11th DECEMBER, 1907,**

The above described
EXTENSIVE AND WELL-POSITIONED
FABRIC FACTORY PREMISES,
 including **ALICE-STEET, NEWTON,**
 just off the **NEWTON RIVER-ROAD,**
 and near to **ST. PETER'S RAILWAY STATION.**
 For years occupied by
FRED. METTERS and CO.,
 the well-known Bone and Brass Makers, Iron Found-
 ers, and Copper Smiths who have purchased 15
 ACRES of LAND at **MITCHELL-ROAD, ALEX.**
 and are erecting a new and extensive
STEEL-ROLLING works, and
STREET-
 Lot 24 and 25, each 75 FEET 95 FEET
 frontage.
 Lot 26, 10 FEET 9 INCHES frontage.
 Lot 27, 10 FEET 9 INCHES frontage.
 by varying depths, as per Plan on view at the
 Sale Rooms.
TITLE, TORRENS.
 TRAM: One-fifth cash, balance 1, 2, 3, and 4 years.

ANDRIA, and erected extensive FACTORY PREMISES, covering an area of 2 ACRES. at 4 per cent.

THIS LAND has a frontage of 74ft to ALICE-STREET, widening out to 144ft, by a through depth of 500ft on the west side, upon which are erected FACTORY PREMISES, built of Brick, Wood, and Iron, with a large HOOK, containing about 1000 tons of iron, and a large FLOOR SPACE, and admirably adapted for MANUFACTURING PURPOSES.

SEWERS, CAPE, KENT, and GADEN, 204 Pitt-st., Melbourne to the Estate

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WEDNESDAY, 10th JANUARY 1907

TITLE TORRENS.
In view of the large amount of attention that must necessarily be given to ANY MATTER IN THE NATURE OF A TITLE TORRENS, THE AGENTS STRONGLY RECOMMEND INDICATION OF THE above-named property.

HAEDER and GORMAN have received instructions from **MRS. FRANK WETTER** and **CO.** to sell the following Estate, at **THE BAY ROOMS, 135 Pitt Street**, at 11.30 o'clock on **WEDNESDAY, 11. NOVEMBER 11. 1907.**

PORTIONS OF THE PAINT ESTATE AT KURURU TERRACE, ST. HILL.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES
WOOLLAHRA AND CANTERBURY.

LOT 1 - WOOLLAHRA, 1/20 to Trans Sec. Road, Junction - **BEILAH TERRACE, BARRIE STREET**, between **VEINSON** and **ROWE STAIRS** - **FLOOD HOUSE** with a well of rock water, with a garden having **Verandah** and **Balcony**, 6 Rooms, **LAUREL**.

THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED WELL-POSITIONED FACTORY PREMISES, suitable for ALMOST ANY MANUFACTURING BUSINESS requiring a large area.

NOTE.—There is a certain amount of Machinery and Shuttling already erected, which could be purchased at a valuation, if required.

DARLING POINT.

LOT 2.—CANTERBURY, adjoining the Public School, close to Canterbury-road, and not far from the

AN EXCLUSIVE but exceedingly pleasant part, opposite the Residence of his Honor Mr. Justice G. B. Simpson.

A DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE, IN PRETTY GROUNDS, known as

"ANNANDALE," fronting ANNANDALE STREET, JUST OFF THE DARLING POINT ROAD. THE HOUSE, built of Brick, Cemented and painted, contains—DORMER, DRAWING ROOM, DINING ROOM, BREAKFAST ROOM, LIBRARY, 4 BEDROOMS, 2 Bathrooms, Bathroom, Kitchen, and Laundry. Verandah (25 x 32), and Balcony. Garden, Lawns, etc. THE LAND has a frontage of about 100 feet, and is a fine building site.

**130 FEET TO ANNANDALE STREET,
and about
134 FEET 5 INCHES TO NEW BEACH-ROAD.
by a thorough depth of about 191 FEET on one side,
and 187 FEET on the other side.**

**TITLE TORTS. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
V.B.—THE REAR PORTION OF THE LAND FRONT-**

**130 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 18th DECEMBER, 1907,
The above-described Properties.**

INVESTMENT OR COTTAGE HOME.

MILSON'S POINT NORTH SYDNEY.

ING NEW BEACH-ROAD LEVIES ITSELF TO PROPRI-
ETARY SUBDIVISION INTO BUILDING SITES. THIS
CAN BE DONE WITHOUT IN ANY WAY INTERFER-
ING WITH THE HOUSE.

"ANNARDALE" occupying a charming situation, em-
bracing delightful views of Rushcutter Bay, Elizabeth
Bay, and the Northern Shores of the Harbour.

ANDERSON and COOKMAN have received instructions

HARDY will sell by public Auction at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 11th DECEMBER, 1907,
 The above-described **RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY.**
ESTATE OF THE LATE T. W. JENKINS.
 (Continued from the previous page.)
TERMS, cash, or quarter cash, balance extending over 3 years at 5 per cent. interest.

HARDY and **GOWMAN** will sell the above by auction, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on

1. RIGHT AT LINAROW RAILWAY STATION, 4 miles beyond Gouda—31½ ACRES, a COMBINED ORCHARD AND DAIRY FARM. 25 ACRES are under Fruit (trees 10 years old) and 6 acres good land, used for dairying. Well fenced in 2 dwellings, and numerous outbuildings. Last year's income from Orchard, £670; from Dairy (30 cows), £160. Total, £830.

A capital Property, commanding the Hudson as well as the Sydney trade, and being right AT THE STATION, it has a large prospective value. Inspection invited. TITLE TORRENS.

RENTS, £208 YEARLY.
Land (site) 10m x depth of 104ft 9in and 90ft 4in and 46ft 10in, along passage at rear.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with ALL

HUNTER'S HILL, MARY STREET.—2 good Building
 Plots, each 60 x 125, directly opposite the Reservoir
 of L. F. Gordon, Esq. and near the Hyde-road.
TORRENS' TITLE. Plan at Booms.

For AUCTION SALE, at our Rooms, 123 Pitt-street,
 Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock on
 WEDNESDAY, 18th DECEMBER, 1907.

A TEMPTING LEASEHOLD INVESTMENT.
REDFERN.

H NEXT WEDNESDAY, **EDWARD** and **GERMAN**, Auctioneers.
GLEBE POINT.
 CLOSE TO THE GLEBE-ROAD AND THE
 THE GLEBE-ROAD TRAM.

FAMILY RESIDENCE and Grounds, **ARDEN, No. 2 FORTHST. ST., ON GLEBE POINT RD.**, and opposite Torrens-street, substantially built of brick on stone, with slate roof, containing 10 rooms, billiard-room, kitchen, and all up-to-date domestic conveniences. Detached are brick built stables and coachhouse, harness-room, man's room, and loft.

12 HOUSES, Nos. 1 to 11 and 2 to 15 MOUNT STREET,租金 7s each, being £210 6s yearly.

13 HOUSES, Nos. 1 to 11 and 2 to 15 MOUNT STREET,租金 7s each, being £210 6s yearly.

TOTAL RENTS, £700 6s YEARLY.

All built of brick and in good order.

Full particulars later.

TITLE LEASEHOLD, about 30 years to run.

GROUND RENT, £100 yearly.

FINE LAND has about 148 FEET 10 INCHES FRONT-AGE to FORSYTH-STREET, by 209 FEET 8 INCHES on one side, and the rear measurement is about 154 FEET 3 INCHES, irregular on the other side, as per plan on view at the Salerooms. Por-able well laid out, and a better

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with **BLAIR and BROWN**) will sell the above by Public Auction, at the Salerooms, 123 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on **WEDNESDAY, 10th DECEMBER, 1907.**

PICKED CORNER BUILDING SITE

There are also large Conservatory and Bush-
CARDS TO VIEW FROM THE AUCTIONEER.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions
from J. Mountjoy, Esq., to sell by public auc-
tion, at their Sale Rooms, 125 Pitt-street, at 11.30
o'clock on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 11th DECEMBER, 1907.

ARTARMON.
Lot 1, Sec. H, Chamberlain Hills Estate, 100 to 1000
LEN-STREET by 100 ft along FRANKLIN-STREET,
TITLE TORRENS. Plan on view.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above by Public
in Auction at their Sale Rooms, 125 Pitt-street, at
11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 12th DECEMBER, 1907.

STURRY HILLS INVESTMENT,
of CAMPBELL-STREET, close to CROWN-STREET
TRAM, and handy to OXFORD-STREET.

No. 2 and 4 BLOOMFIELD-STREET, built of brick and stone, slate roofs, each 4 rooms, etc. RENT, \$130/2/2 YEARLY.

LAND, about 11 FEET in DENHAM-STREET, and about 50 FEET in BELL-STREET to LITTLE BLOOMFIELD STREET at rear.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

MARDIN and GORMAN have received instructions to

will be sold by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 125 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 11th DECEMBER, 1907.
The above-described SURRY HILLS Property.
IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE MRS. MARGARET O'SULLIVAN.

BY ORDER OF THE REGISTRAR OF PROBATES.
DARLINGHURST.
 Handy to William-street Tram.
 No. 106 BUCKINGHAM-STREET.
 BRICK RESIDENCE, with iron roof, having grand
 and airy front, with a kitchen, wash-house,
 stable, and a large stable, with iron roof, at present
 occupied by Mr. O'Sullivan.
 Land 35 x 100.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at the Salerooms, 123 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 11th DECEMBER, 1907,
Estate's Solicitors, Messrs. Lawrence, Sneyd, and MacDonald, 123 Pitt-street. TOWN'S TITLE.

KILLARA, N.S. LINE, "BRAEMAR."
Choice BRICK COTTAGE, the roof, congt. 8 large
rooms, all, laundry, bath, linen, pantry, wide
verandas, stable, 6000 sq. ft. Laid 1212 to
Springdale road by 100 ft. 10 ft. deep tastefully
laid out garden, lawn, orchard, paddock, few
runk etc, fruit trees.
AUCTION SALE at the ROOMS, Pitt-street,
on **WEDNESDAY, 22nd JANUARY, 1906.**
The above-located **ATTRACTIVE COTTAGE**
RESIDENCE.
Inspection by Cards, which are obtainable from the
Auctioneers.
Position high, and close to Strathfield and Homebush
Railway Stations, and very near to St. Andrew's
the Church, and the Public School.

HARDIN and GORMAN, in conjunction with JAMES G. EDWARDS and CO.,
BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES,
FINE CORNER BUILDING SITE at RYDE,
WILLIAMSBURG, VIRGINIA.

SIDNEY MALCOLM,
is interested to sell by auction, at the residence,
Dorchester, Port Adelaide, to be viewed on the premises,
on THURSDAY, 19th DECEMBER,
at 11 a.m.,
HAS BEEN SOLD BY PRIVATE TRADING,
HARRIS and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 31st DECEMBER, 1907.
A CHANCE AT KENSINGTON.
2 minutes from train, 2d section.
KENSINGTON-ROAD, 2 NEW DETACHED COTTAGES,
"RHODOLIN" and "EMERALD" of

Time and from No. 6, each Verandah, Hall, 5 Rooms, Kitchen, Pantry, Laundry, Bathroom, Linen-press, nicely finished, Marble Mantels, and archway in 2 principal rooms. Water and Gas. Rent £68 a YEARLY. For sale together or separately.

LAND, 80 x about 120. TORRENS. Auction Sale at the Rooms, 120 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on

WEDNESDAY, 10th DECEMBER, 1897.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.
Solicitors to the Estate.
INDIPLE, Monkton.
Turr., 10th, or 11th, THIS DAY, 9, and 10, 11.

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